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Dear Interested Parties and Potentially Interested Parties:

Subject: Georgia-Pacific Fort Bragg Sawmill Environmental Investigations

File: Georgia-Pacific Fort Bragg Sawmill, 90 West Redwood Avenue, Fort Bragg, CA
Case No. 1NMC462

The North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board has received environmental investigation reports from the Georgia-Pacific Corporation regarding the Georgia-Pacific sawmill facilities in Fort Bragg. These reports are the *Phase I Environmental Site Assessment* and the *Phase II Environmental Site Assessment Report*. Main operations at these facilities have ceased and the environmental site assessments address potential contamination issues throughout the property. Regional Water Board staff will be reviewing and commenting on these reports in the next few months.

These reports have been posted on our Internet website to facilitate public review. These documents can be found by following the "Georgia-Pacific Fort Bragg Sawmill Information" link on our homepage at <http://www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb1/>. Our files are also open for public review, by appointment, at our Santa Rosa office. In addition, the City of Fort Bragg is establishing a public review file containing these documents.

If you have any questions, comments, or relevant information you wish to share regarding this work, please contact me by e-mail at huntc@rbl.swrcb.ca.gov, by telephone at (707) 570-3767, or by writing to the above address.

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